

Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
May 8, 1993



Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended May 8, 1993, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration from railroad car loadings, totaled 18 million short tons. This was about the same as in the previous week and slightly lower than in the comparable week in 1992.

Production east of the Mississippi River totaled 11 million short tons, and production west of the Mississippi River totaled 8 million short tons.

This report contains coal production data for April 1993, and revised monthly 1992 coal production data by State.

On May 10, 1993, the United Mine Workers of America (UMWA) struck selective mines of three major coal-producing companies. The UMWA ordered strikes at five Zeigler Coal Holding Co. mines, two Arch Mineral Co. mines, and one AMAX Coal Co. mine. Two additional Zeigler mines are striking in sympathy. These ten mines employ about 2,500 miners and produce about 354 thousand short tons of coal per week.

Figure 1. Coal Production

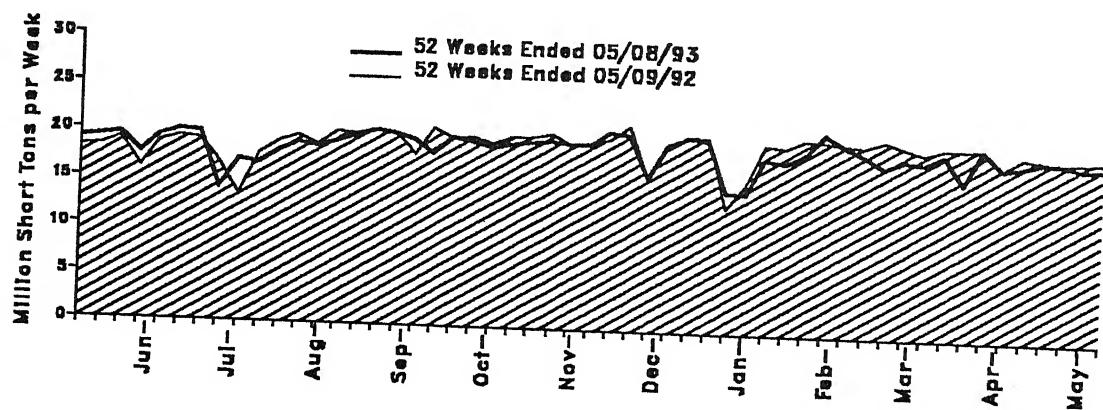


Table 1. Weekly U.S. Coal Production Overview

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			52 Weeks Ended		
	05/08/93	05/01/93	05/09/92	05/08/93	05/09/92	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite	18,319	18,291	19,000	973,510	991,560	-1.8
Pennsylvania Anthracite	85	51	62	3,193	3,451	-7.5
U.S. Total	18,404	18,342	19,062	976,704	995,011	-1.8
Railroad Cars Loaded	118,648	118,523	121,680	6,260,206	6,450,155	-2.9

¹ Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: All data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Weekly U.S. Coal Production by Region and State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	05/08/93	05/01/93	05/09/92
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	10,658	10,652	11,344
Alabama	538	514	485
Illinois	1,084	997	1,129
Indiana	539	442	677
Kentucky	2,917	2,930	3,025
Kentucky, Eastern	1,987	2,022	2,289
Kentucky, Western	930	907	736
Maryland	60	61	94
Ohio	704	500	527
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,182	1,413	1,222
Tennessee	63	64	54
Virginia	803	819	889
West Virginia	2,769	2,912	3,242
West of the Mississippi	7,662	7,640	7,656
Alaska	30	30	29
Arizona	224	223	244
Arkansas	1	1	1
California	-	-	2
Colorado	365	311	405
Iowa	6	6	5
Kansas	6	7	8
Louisiana	65	46	79
Missouri	41	41	61
Montana	684	684	606
New Mexico	589	601	405
North Dakota	532	532	590
Oklahoma	37	38	39
Texas	934	932	1,036
Utah	377	341	428
Washington	96	96	109
Wyoming	3,675	3,752	3,609
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Total	18,319	18,291	19,000
Pennsylvania Anthracite	85	51	62
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Table 3. U.S. Coal Production by Region and State, April 1993
 (Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	April 1993	March 1993	April 1992	Year to Date		
				1993	1992	Percent Change
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite						
East of the Mississippi	46,062	45,569	50,035	181,199	204,095	-11.2
Alabama	2,399	2,333	2,035	9,507	9,096	4.5
Illinois	4,514	5,081	5,235	18,871	21,361	-11.7
Indiana	1,995	1,985	2,759	7,846	11,861	-33.9
Kentucky	12,587	12,118	13,245	49,383	54,364	-9.2
Kentucky, Eastern	8,815	8,502	9,798	35,196	40,123	-12.3
Kentucky, Western	3,772	3,616	3,447	14,187	14,241	-.4
Maryland	269	257	403	1,063	1,092	-2.7
Ohio	2,121	2,189	2,423	8,429	10,455	-19.4
Pennsylvania Bituminous	5,192	4,765	5,833	18,733	22,977	-18.5
Tennessee	337	376	231	1,446	914	58.2
Virginia	3,553	3,482	3,832	13,802	15,085	-8.5
West Virginia	13,095	12,982	14,040	52,120	56,890	-8.4
West of the Mississippi	34,761	38,193	32,342	138,085	134,171	2.9
Alaska	135	154	126	573	527	8.8
Arizona	981	969	1,060	3,734	4,326	-13.7
Arkansas	3	2	3	9	10	-13.2
California	-	-	10	-	10	.0
Colorado	1,573	1,702	1,501	6,203	5,822	6.5
Iowa	29	32	21	120	109	9.4
Kansas	29	34	37	134	112	19.6
Louisiana	187	150	296	943	848	11.2
Missouri	181	181	264	696	928	-25.0
Montana	3,216	3,630	2,603	12,586	12,624	-.3
New Mexico	2,552	2,789	1,818	10,504	7,741	35.7
North Dakota	2,462	2,747	2,535	9,551	10,530	-9.3
Oklahoma	158	211	153	808	632	27.8
Texas	4,115	4,255	4,495	16,227	17,509	-7.3
Utah	1,661	1,846	1,704	6,856	7,810	-12.2
Washington	420	414	473	1,594	1,767	-9.8
Wyoming	17,059	19,076	15,241	67,547	62,864	7.5
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Total	80,822	83,762	82,377	319,285	338,267	-5.6
Pennsylvania Anthracite	191	185	296	720	1,079	-33.3
U.S. Total	81,014	83,947	82,673	320,005	339,346	-5.7

¹ Includes subbituminous coal.

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Table 4. Coal Production by State, January-June 1992
 (Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	January	February	March	April	May	June	January - June
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite							
East of the Mississippi	51,770	49,089	53,201	50,035	48,004	48,163	300,263
Alabama	2,411	2,315	2,335	2,035	2,044	2,014	13,154
Illinois	5,573	5,272	5,280	5,235	4,846	4,905	31,111
Indiana	3,139	2,777	3,185	2,759	2,754	2,694	17,309
Kentucky	14,099	13,065	13,955	13,245	12,767	13,166	80,297
Kentucky, Eastern	10,379	9,554	10,392	9,798	9,622	9,617	59,363
Kentucky, Western	3,720	3,510	3,563	3,447	3,145	3,548	20,934
Maryland	236	218	236	403	392	394	1,878
Ohio	2,613	2,596	2,824	2,423	2,314	2,372	15,140
Pennsylvania Bituminous	5,096	5,553	6,495	5,833	5,170	5,054	33,201
Tennessee	235	214	234	231	231	229	1,374
Virginia	3,867	3,527	3,860	3,832	3,843	3,800	22,728
West Virginia	14,503	13,552	14,796	14,040	13,643	13,537	84,070
West of the Mississippi	36,198	33,005	32,626	32,342	32,206	31,817	198,195
Alaska	138	129	133	126	122	121	769
Arizona	1,123	1,048	1,096	1,060	1,031	1,025	6,383
Arkansas	2	2	3	3	3	3	17
California	-	-	-	10	10	10	30
Colorado	1,367	1,537	1,417	1,501	1,624	1,566	9,012
Iowa	30	28	29	21	21	21	151
Kansas	24	26	25	37	31	30	174
Louisiana	163	96	294	296	367	272	1,487
Missouri	228	213	223	264	257	256	1,442
Montana	3,645	3,207	3,169	2,603	2,611	2,547	17,782
New Mexico	2,223	1,923	1,777	1,818	1,682	1,881	11,304
North Dakota	2,908	2,559	2,529	2,535	2,543	2,480	15,553
Oklahoma	170	155	155	153	157	158	948
Texas	4,479	4,179	4,355	4,495	4,373	4,428	26,311
Utah	1,919	2,164	2,023	1,704	1,683	1,625	11,117
Washington	445	415	434	473	460	453	2,680
Wyoming	17,335	15,324	14,964	15,241	15,228	14,942	93,034
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Total ...	87,969	82,094	85,827	82,377	80,210	79,981	498,458
Pennsylvania Anthracite	247	257	279	296	274	287	1,641
U.S. Total.....	88,216	82,351	86,106	82,673	80,484	80,268	500,098

¹ Includes subbituminous coal.

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Table 5. Coal Production by State, July-December 1992
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	July	August	September	October	November	December	July - December	January - December
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite								
East of the Mississippi	45,694	48,772	48,450	51,155	47,064	46,839	287,974	588,237
Alabama	1,799	1,964	1,947	2,257	2,161	2,168	12,296	25,451
Illinois	4,285	4,983	4,956	4,731	4,524	4,854	28,333	59,444
Indiana	2,509	2,514	2,459	2,461	2,461	2,332	14,736	32,045
Kentucky	13,132	13,787	13,733	14,059	12,986	13,341	81,037	161,335
Kentucky, Eastern	9,648	10,256	10,350	10,721	9,707	9,758	60,440	119,803
Kentucky, Western	3,484	3,531	3,383	3,338	3,278	3,583	20,598	41,532
Maryland	192	207	207	315	286	286	1,493	3,371
Ohio	2,400	2,572	2,491	2,516	2,413	2,356	14,749	29,889
Pennsylvania Bituminous	4,997	5,447	5,158	5,762	5,090	4,414	30,868	64,069
Tennessee	231	237	247	240	217	219	1,391	2,765
Virginia	3,524	3,614	3,766	4,019	3,630	3,674	22,226	44,954
West Virginia	12,625	13,445	13,487	14,795	13,297	13,196	80,845	164,914
West of the Mississippi	35,074	35,629	35,105	35,110	33,176	36,182	210,276	408,470
Alaska	96	100	99	158	149	155	758	1,527
Arizona	1,017	1,063	1,052	1,040	961	997	6,130	12,512
Arkansas	4	4	4	3	3	3	20	37
California	10	10	10	15	15	15	74	105
Colorado	1,504	1,708	1,739	1,886	1,425	1,587	9,849	18,861
Iowa	25	26	25	21	20	20	137	287
Kansas	29	28	30	34	32	36	189	363
Louisiana	295	319	335	281	279	212	1,721	3,207
Missouri	243	254	252	208	194	201	1,353	2,795
Montana	3,725	3,666	3,536	3,302	3,316	3,671	21,216	38,999
New Mexico	2,147	2,072	2,394	2,470	2,324	2,004	13,411	24,716
North Dakota	2,604	2,562	2,471	2,731	2,741	3,035	16,144	31,697
Oklahoma	204	193	152	74	185	189	997	1,944
Texas	4,835	5,055	5,005	4,638	4,293	4,453	28,279	54,589
Utah	1,347	1,456	1,490	2,180	1,756	1,985	10,214	21,332
Washington	432	452	448	430	398	412	2,572	5,252
Wyoming	16,557	16,661	16,064	15,639	15,086	17,206	97,212	190,247
Subbituminous Coal¹ and Lignite Total	80,768	84,401	83,555	86,265	80,240	83,021	498,249	996,707
Pennsylvania Anthracite	305	337	311	322	321	306	1,902	3,543
S. Total	81,073	84,738	83,866	86,587	80,581	83,327	500,152	1,000,250

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Table 6. Comparison of Coal Production by State, 1992
 (Thousand Short Tons)

State	Weekly Estimate	EIA-6	Percent Variance
Alabama	29,801	25,451	17.1
Alaska	1,571	1,527	2.9
Arizona	11,197	12,512	-10.5
Arkansas	50	37	35.1
California	134	105	-27.6
Colorado	17,891	18,861	-5.1
Illinois	56,745	59,444	-4.5
Indiana	26,992	32,045	-15.8
Iowa	342	287	19.2
Kansas	463	363	27.5
Kentucky	152,683	161,335	-5.4
Kentucky, Eastern	110,021	119,803	-8.2
Kentucky, Western	42,663	41,532	2.7
Louisiana	3,101	3,207	-3.3
Maryland	3,421	3,371	1.5
Missouri	2,155	2,795	-22.9
Montana	37,508	38,999	-3.8
New Mexico	24,578	24,716	-0.6
North Dakota	28,381	31,697	-10.5
Ohio	27,545	29,889	-7.8
Oklahoma	2,473	1,944	27.2
Pennsylvania	62,331	67,612	-7.8
Anthracite	2,354	3,543	-33.6
Bituminous	59,977	64,069	-6.4
Tennessee	4,703	2,765	70.1
Texas	52,816	54,589	-3.2
Utah	21,225	21,332	-0.5
Virginia	43,442	44,954	-3.4
Washington	4,536	5,252	-13.6
West Virginia	166,545	164,914	1.0
Wyoming	190,010	190,247	0.1
U.S. Total	972,639	1,000,250	-2.8

Sources: Energy Information Administration, Weekly Coal Production; and,
 Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report."

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